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Applicant(s): Kohya TANAKA et al
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Examiner : M. Koczo, Jr.

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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This is responsive to the Office Action mailed May 13, 2002, the term for response to which expires on August 13, 2002.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph at page 1, line 20 through page 2, line 4 with the following:

A similar means of cooling an engine is disclosed in Japanese Patent Kokai Publication Hei 5-79494 wherein openings are provided on the upstream and the downstream sides in the blower case that are connected respectively to the engine case, and the engine is cooled by passing into the engine case through the opening on the upstream side a part of the air introduced into the blower by rotating a blower fan, stirring the air by a cooling fan inside the

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